

THE ONLY MAN WHO CAN CHANGE HIS MIND IS A MAN THAT'S GOT ONE. — E. Westcott

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"COOPER'S CRAFT" FILM SEEN AT MEETING OF BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY

At the monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society on March 6, a film entitled, "The Cooper's Craft" was featured. Mrs. Geraldine Howe, head of the program committee, presented a brief introduction describing the importance of coopers in Bethel. The film carefully explained each step in the making of a particular type of barrel called a kilderkin whose capacity is eighteen gallons and three quarts. The techniques and tools employed to change rough seasoned oak to a fine piece of workmanship capable of withstanding at least thirty years of continuous use were painstakingly illustrated. The cooper was as essential to any community in a bygone era as the blacksmith or miller since he produced many of the containers for produce in addition to churns, milk pails, and sap buckets.

TELSTAR STAGE BAND ON TOUR THIS WEEK

The Telstar Stage Band is touring schools of the area this week before going to competition Saturday. Wednesday and Thursday the group traveled to Mt. Abram, Livermore Falls, Jay and Lakes Region, performing concerts and workshops. Saturday morning they will compete in the Maine Jazz Festival in Winthrop. This festival, held each year, brings Maine's top stage bands together in friendly competition. The past two years Telstar's band has participated, and they have placed high in the standings. This should prove to be a busy and fun week for the stage band. After a lot of hard work, they feel they're ready for competition Saturday and hope to come home a winner.

The MEC's will meet Tuesday, March 18, for a 6:30 pot luck supper at the home of Mrs. Joan Coolidge. Those needing transportation may call Mrs. Abbie Buswell.

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PURITY CHAPTER TO HOLD SEMI-PUBLIC INSTALLATION

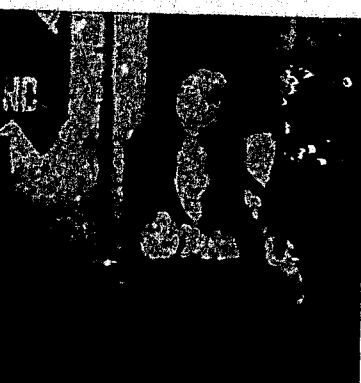
A semi-public installation of officers of Purity Chapter #102 OES, will be held on Thursday, March 20, 7:30 p. m. at the Bethel Masonic Hall. Sister Frances Smith, AGM, will be the installing officer. Refreshments will be served immediately following.

There will be a rehearsal for the installation on March 16 at 7 p. m. It is important that all officers attend.

I. R. S. WANTS TO HEAR FROM CORPORATIONS

Maine corporations, whose tax year ended Dec. 31, 1974, are due to file a 1974 Federal income tax return by Monday, March 17. However, an automatic extension of time for filing may be obtained by submitting Form 7004.

"We should point out that either way, corporations must deposit in an approved commercial bank or a Federal Reserve Bank at least 50% of the balance due when they file their return or application for extension," John E. O'Donnell, IRS Acting District Director said. "Deposits must be made with Form 503, 'Federal Tax Deposit, Corporation Income Taxes'."



TELSTAR MUSIC STUDENT to play in Navy Band Concert. Above is Betsy Davis who will be playing with the Navy Band in Berlin, N. H., Friday, March 14. This is the first time the Navy Band has performed in this part of New England for many years. They have invited area schools, including Telstar, to attend their afternoon concert, and to have a member of the school band play selected numbers with them. They will also perform a concert at 8:00 Friday night. Betsy will be playing her oboe. She is the daughter of Mrs. Stanley Davis and a senior at Telstar Regional High School.

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Town Manager's Comments

As a result of the discussion at Town Meeting revolving around a request for an appropriation for legal fees, several taxpayers have contacted town officials for more information on the status of lawsuits pending against the town, selectmen and road commissioner. For the most part, questions asked are the ones we do not know the answers to. There is concern by everyone as to the cost that could be incurred finding the answers. Due to a possible conflict of interest three attorneys may have to be retained, one to represent the town, one for selectmen, and one for the road commissioner. Every approach to a solution to the problem is being investigated in an attempt to find a legal opinion which will inform us of our obligation on the road in question.

There is a strong possibility public hearings and/or town meetings may be called to give directions to the town officials and to inform the people of developments as they occur. At the present the lawsuits are of prime concern. They charge that town officials have not maintained a road which is a public way. The town officials cannot find evidence that it is a town responsibility. This was the original problem and the answer to it is still being sought.

Elwyn N. Digkey

ANNUAL SPRING FLING AT BINGHAM GYM ON MARCH 29

Plans were finalized Monday evening for the Annual Spring Fling to be held at the William Bingham Gymnasium, Saturday, March 29, 8:30 to 12:30 p. m. Music will be furnished by the Gordon Howe orchestra with music for all tastes.

A limited number of tickets will be sold. Mrs. Jane Carlson, Mrs. Frances Saunders and Mrs. Mary Chadbourn are on the ticket committee. Mrs. Pearlina McMillin may be called to reserve tickets and tables. Refreshment chairmen are Mrs. Jody Carter and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith.

The decorations committee is made up of Mrs. Linda Sharp, Mrs. Gwen Stecher, Mrs. Barbara H. Brown, Mrs. Amy Moran, Mrs. Jody Carter, Mrs. Mary Chadbourn, Mrs. Agnes Thurston, Mrs. Jane Carlson, Mrs. Norma Buck. Checkers will be Mrs. Carolyn Brooks, and Mrs. Pearlina McMillin. Publicity, Mrs. Barbara D. Brown.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING -ELECT OFFICERS

The Bethel Fire Department held its annual meeting on March 6, 1975.

Following a superb supper put on by Craig Davis and John VanDeuren, the meeting was opened, the old business taken care of and the election of officers. Leland Brown acted as ballot clerk with the help of Ralph Hall. The following officers were elected: Chief, Harold Carver; 2nd Engineer, Robert Davis; 3rd Engineer, Burnham Rice; Capt. Lonnie Davis; 1st Lt., David Myers; 2nd Lt., Craig Davis; Training and Admin., Robert Saunders; Secretary, Danny Davis.

FILM, "FUTURE SHOCK" AT GARLAND CHAPEL MARCH 16

A 42 minute colored film "Future Shock" will be shown in the Chapel room at West Parish Congregational Church Sunday, March 16 from 7 to 9 p. m. Based on the book of the same title by Alvin Toffler, narrated by Orson Welles, this high speed change film looks at the implication of rapid change in our civilization and encourages us to make critical decisions about what kind of world we want.

Jane Chandler will be resource person for this film which is being sponsored by the Christian Education Committee.



ROBERT GIRARD, Physicians Assistant and Linda Sharp, president Bethel Auxiliary of Rumford Community Hospital at the Auxiliary meeting Monday evening, where Mr. Girard explained his role as a physician assistant to Dr. Sobczak who will soon be arriving in Bethel to practice.

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ANNUAL SKI TOURING RACE HELD AT SUNDAY RIVER SUNDAY, MARCH 9

The Third Annual Sunday River Langlauf Citizen Touring Race was held at the Sunday River Inn Course, Newry, on Sunday, March 9, with 70 contestants from Maine, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire, competing in five different classes.

Winners in the seven kilometer class, 36 to 50 years: Len Johnson, 18:19; Paul McGuire, Bethel, 18:50; John Marjona, 19:06. In the 16-35 age group winners were (Ladies): Patricia Whitney, 23:48; Carolyn Tallis, 25:34; Gretchen Hurd, 26:21. In the 16-35 age group (Men): Art Troburg, Bethel, 20:16; Matt Wight, Newry, 20:57; Larry Labrecque, 22:45.

In the three kilometer classes for ages 10-15: Stephen Morrill, Bethel, 10:55; Steve Fuller, 11:04; Barbara Mitchell, 11:58.

In the 1 1/2 kilometer for under 10 years, winners were: Bent Johnson, 9:16; Karl Barth, Bethel, 9:26; Keith Wight, Newry, 9:27.

In the Competition Class, 14 kilometers, winners were (Ladies): Ellen Goodrich, 41:34; Ellen Makarewicz, 44:13; Jennifer Lyman, 45:05. Men winners in the 14 kilometer class: James Fredricks, 30:57; Peter Wiese, Bethel, 33:44; Tim Cowan, 35:04.

The race is sponsored by the Sunday River Ski Club, Bethel.

Telstar is Hosting N. E. Ski Meet Friday and Saturday

Edward Little High School of Auburn and Telstar will represent Maine in the New England Ski Meet to be held this Friday and Saturday, March 14 and 15. Rumford, runner-up to Edward Little in the State Meet, declined an invitation.

New Hampshire representatives are Hanover, Kennett of North Conway, and Laconia, while the Vermont delegation includes Lyndon Institute, Middlebury and Rutland.

State individual winners have also been invited to compete.

The competition will begin Friday at Mt. Abram with the Giant Slalom scheduled for 10 a. m. followed by the Slalom at 1:30 p. m.

The Jumping event will take place Saturday, at 10 a. m. at Swan's Corner 30-meter hill. This will be followed by the Cross Country race which will be held at 1:30 p. m. on the Sunday River Inn course.

Individual competitors include two Rhode Island Alpine Champions, Thomas Schofield of Cumberland, and Steven Hathaway of North Kensington, and Maine's double Alpine winner Scott Hoisington of Mt. Blue, Farmington.

Several possible entrants were unable to participate because of the Junior National Championships being held in Ishpeming, Mich., this week.

Among the missing will be Billy Chenard, Steve Mickeriz, of Rumford; Dan Simoneau of Livermore Falls; Larry Welch of Lyndon Institute; John Fulton and John Farum of Hanover.

Two of Maine's best schoolboy jumpers unable to compete because of injuries are Edward Little's Berg, and Telstar's Doug Brooks.

SUMMER SOFTBALL PROGRAM MEETING TO BE HELD

A meeting to discuss and organize the girls' summer softball program will be held on Thursday, March 20 at the Casco Bank Community Room. All mothers and anyone interested in helping are urged to attend.

S. A. D. 44 DIRECTORS TO MEET MONDAY

A regular meeting of the MSAD #44 board of directors is scheduled for Monday evening, March 17, in the Lecture Hall, Telstar Regional High School, at 7:30.

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East Stoneham

Gladys Kilgore, Corres.
Lester Allen of North Lovell is some better and is now in the nursing home at South Paris for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carpenter of Lovell visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanwood Nelson Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Files went to a doctor in Bridgton Monday for a check up.

Mrs. Helen Grover went to Auburn Friday to attend the funeral of her uncle, Clifton McAllister.

Our electricity was off here three hours Wednesday. Limbs of a tree falling on the wire was the cause of it.

Mrs. Gladys Knight visited Mrs. Helen Grover one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bryan and two daughters visited his aunt, Mrs. Grace Nelson, Friday.

The Friendly Senior Citizens met at the North Waterford church vestry Wednesday with 48 present.

A pot luck dinner was served with Edith Holt, Gladys Kilgore, Helen Grover and Violet Doughty as the helpers. A silent auction was held after the meeting. Mr. Grant of Oxford was the lucky winner of the quilt. A birthday cake in the shape of a shamrock was served to all those with birthdays in March. A pleasant day was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. John Grover Sr. entertained the Past Chief's Club at her home Tuesday night. A nice lunch was served and Mrs. Violet Doughty was presented a birthday cake made by Mrs. Eloise Vail.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Grover and family and Mrs. Helen Grover went to Barjo's Tuesday night for observance of their 30th wedding anniversary. They were presented a beautiful wedding cake by Mrs. Josephine Stone and Miss Margaret McAllister, also flowers.

Leonard Doughty has been confined to his home by illness.

South Woodstock

Olive Davis, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Evans and family, Bristol, N. H., called on Mrs. Evans aunt, Addie Campbell, the first of the week.

Craig Morgan acted as moderator at the town meeting Monday night.

Vernon Poland was elected road commissioner for the second year in the town. He lives on Curtis Hill.

The Willing Workers served refreshments at town meeting Monday night. Sheryl Wilbur, president and helpers were in charge.

Many from this area attended town meeting Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis attended Pomona Grange at South Paris Tuesday evening. Tuesday afternoon they showed pictures on their trip to Hawaii, to the Senior Citizens group after partaking of a fine dinner at West Paris.

Mrs. Carl Cash had the misfortune of falling on the Gym steps at Bryant Pond, town meeting night while carrying out the coffee urn to dump the left over coffee. She is real lame from the episode and the front or shin of one leg is badly bruised by the fall. She would appreciate cards I'm sure. I might add that Barbara wrenched her knee so it is very hard for her to get around, also.

Lenwood Andrews took his mother, Jessie Andrews to call on Little Ford, who is with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford at Locke Mills. Mrs. Ford was discharged from Stephens Memorial Hospital last week.

West Greenwood
Carolyn M. Colby, Corres.

Louisa Croteau was visiting in the neighborhood Friday.

Muriel Gilbert spent Saturday night in Lewiston in observance of her sister, Lil Lauze's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Charest and Mr. and Mrs. Rosalire Gagnon brought her home Sunday.

Earl Colby was in Auburn Saturday.

The wind is blowing the snow across the field and around the house, but the tomato plants are snubbing their noses at it all on their sunny windowsill. By starting my own transplants, I get the feeling that I'm gardening even if the snow is still deep on the onion patch.

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There will be a Grange meeting at the hall Monday, March 17, at 7:30 p. m.

A church meeting was held at the home of the clerk, Mrs. Kathy Bennett Thursday afternoon to accept Mr. Kent's resignation.

Recent callers of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister have been Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Leighton and by son Toby and Mrs. Sarah Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bennett, Wayne Miller and Miss Carol McAllister enjoyed dinner Saturday evening at the Town and Country Motor Inn, Shelburne, N. H.

Recent callers of Mrs. Sarah Andrews were Ruth Cash, Mrs. Shirley Corbett, Debra and Nancy, Rachel Cash, South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Andrews and Kelly of Auburn; and Mr. and Mrs. Brian McDonough.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister visited her mother, Mrs. Etta Ring in Lovell on Sunday.

David and Danny Bennett were week end guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell in Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister and Mrs. Sarah Andrews were in Bethel on Friday.

Greenwood City

Mrs. Collette Morgan, Corres.

I went for a walk today down past the old leaning oak which still clings to part of its leaves making brown spots against the snow. Just across the way were the papery leaves of the beech tree rustling in the wind. They were having a conversation of their own.

The pussy willows are out, too! I always like to seek them in March and welcome them; they set the pace of other spring shrubs.

As I walked I noticed the trees in bare bones, except for the conifers. Their graceful shapes were outlined against the horizon. The oak rounded like a great dome, the elms, so few of them now, resembled feather dusters, the ash, the maple, the willow, the birch.

The lichens on the ledges and rocks are more visible at this time. They spread out into various shapes and up the trunks of trees. If one stops to observe, he can even pick out maps of familiar countries as rough and gray as those shown on relief maps in a geography book.

Then there was the writing on the pond made by the winds. They forever blow leaving their designs and we listen to their voices. Today, I especially enjoyed the evergreens as they hummed near by. They are the most musical.

A flock of birds rose just beyond then again settled. My first thought was of robins for I was sure I saw a flash of ruddy breast. But another look told me they were the rich rose of the pine grosbeaks against the perfect whiteness while from above came the call and flashing brilliance of a blue jay possibly saying, "Thanks for our winter of togetherness." Then they vanished.

It seemed so long ago that I walked this way. But even in this short distance there was much to see. I looked to my mountains, Patch and Overset, Noyes and others; to streams and ponds, in summer placid and beautiful. The

valley itself is as old as the glaciers. During my hospital stay, while winter was passing, there was no wind, no stars, no weather, but a strange stage of waiting, of hope, and of faith. I am back to another March and even the snows and gusts, rain and slush, somehow do not seem so bad. My chickadees are as gay as the song sparrows of June. March and I are here; gray skies or blue, and we are getting acquainted all over again. Spring is life renewed. It takes its time here in Maine no matter how much we long for its coming it is inevitable. It returns with a promise.

The bookmobile was here on Wednesday and we were glad to

renew and replace our reading material.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and Danny were at his parents on Sunday. Other callers were Ann Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan.

Mrs. Ilene Twitchell and daughter, South Paris; Annie Mills, Shapleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Rex Felton and Kathy Curtis, local, were callers this week at Clyde Morgan's.

At the Hayes Homestead on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Hayes, Auburn; Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hayes and boys, Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Hayes and children.

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West Paris

Mrs. Marion Chase, Corres.
Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Martin are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Mrs. Reta Proctor is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital for tests.

Ralph Estes is a patient at Tugus Veterans Hospital.

There will be a housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Whitman, Sunday, March 16, 2-4 p. m. There will be a money tree.

Mrs. Rose Paradis, Mrs. Lori Small and Linda, Oxford, called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Buck, Sunday.

The chorus of the Old Time Minstrel which will be held March 21 and 22 at West Paris Gym, 7:30 p. m. sang for the patients at Ledgeview Memorial Home, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Stan Cram called on Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Cram, Oxford, Saturday evening.

Karen Ruokolainen was guest of honor at a birthday party, Thursday at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase. Games were played and refreshments served. Those present were Lisa and Angela Ruokolainen and Ricky Chase. The guest of honor was four years old.

West Bethel

Mrs. Lena Gilbert, Corres.
Mrs. Dorothy Bennett spent a few days last week with her, Kleth Bennett, and family, in Mechanic Falls.

Mrs. Wendell Roberts' daughter, Mrs. Gloria Piper of Dixfield, is still a patient at Rumford Community Hospital. The Pipers have three children.

Mrs. Freda Bennett has been called back to work at Roger Favreau's mill in West Bethel.

Mrs. Ruby Rolfe and Mrs. Cathryn Lovejoy were in Norway the 10th on business.

Arthur Gilbert attended a Postmaster's Seminar in Augusta four days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Lovejoy spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy. They returned to Westboro Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Downing and Miss Gail Waterhouse in West Paris.

Scott Gilbert has finished work at Newton-Tebbets mill, West Bethel, and now has employment in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert, and Mr. and Mrs. Randall Gilbert were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert, Saturday.

I received a call this week asking for the Zip Code for West Bethel. They were told by someone, that West Bethel didn't have a Zip Code. The code for West Bethel is 04286.

James A. Everett of Pepperell, Mass., visited his parents, Mrs. James Everett, Jr., in Mason on the week end. He was on his way to Montreal to meet his wife and children who had been on a visit to Michigan. They returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings and Mrs. Cathryn Lovejoy were in South Rumford, Friday. They were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray West. They were joined by Roy Patten and family.

On Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and Ellen were in Rumford to visit their daughter, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray West and Rebecca.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Aylward of Mason were in Connecticut over the week end. Their two children stayed with their aunt, Mrs. David Hanscom while their parents were away. Mrs. Hanscom takes care of Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Grover Jr.'s children when Mrs. Grover teaches, also the Aylward children and Timothy Lynch if their parents are away.

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On the Job With Emily

Week of March 5-7

On Wednesday, March 5, Rep. Saunders introduced the following order in the House of Representatives: "Whereas, The Legislature has learned of the Outstanding Achievement and Exceptional Accomplishment of The Huskies of Gould Academy State Class D Basketball Champions for the Academic Year 1975. We the Members of the House of Representatives and Senate do hereby Order that our congratulations and acknowledgement be extended; and further Order and direct, while duly assembled in session at the Capitol in Augusta, under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Maine, that this official expression of pride be sent forthwith on behalf of the Legislature and the people of the State of Maine."

Earlier in the week Emily met with SAD 44 Superintendent Kinney and School Board chairman John Brown to discuss the impact of LD 1994 and the proposed changes in this school financing law being brought up in this session. The Legislature has extended the time limit for adoption of local school budgets to May 1, 1975, to give communities and the State time to assess the impact of any amendments that might be adopted to modify LD 1994.

A matter recently under discussion at party caucuses concerns the proposed change to "single member districts" in the Legislature. At the present time Portland and some other large centers of population are represented by a number of delegates who represent the city at large. Legislative reformers have advocated the division of such districts into smaller areas to which a single legislator would be assigned, similar to the situation in rural districts. This is a highly political issue, however, as the representatives from Portland are Democrats and, were the city redistricted, some of the seats would go to Republicans, jeopardizing the Democratic majority in the House.

Last week Emily attended a work session of the Human Resources Committee. Much progress was made on the child abuse reporting bill and the access for the handicapped to public places, and these are about ready to be returned to the House.

Trivia for the Week: Two Bills have been submitted to name a state insect: one recommends the Monarch butterfly, the other the honey bee. Any recommendations from District 6?

Gilead**Mrs. Clifford O. Cole, Cor.**

On March 3, Kelly Marie Cole, celebrated her fourth birthday. Her mother, Luella, gave her a party in the afternoon. Those who attended and giving gifts were her aunt, Paula Belanger, Wendy Rice and daughter, Shelly of Bethel; Mary Cole and Kathy Tyler of Gilead. Those unable to attend but sending cards were her grandmother, Margaret Belanger of Bethel, and Mildred McLain of Gilead. Cake and ice cream were served.

Clayton Bryant is at the Androscoggin Valley Hospital at Berlin, N. H. He is in the intensive care unit because of an accident. His friends wish him a speedy recovery.

North Paris**Wilma Pierce, Corres.**

Guests and visitors at Pierces have been: Mr. and Mrs. Myron Pierce, South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene DeShon, Marilyn Osborne, Blanch Bean, Doris Lawrence, Eveline Barrett, Rena Ring, Bea Heath, Ruth Hazelton, Lila Ellingwood, Frances Noyes, Kathy Pulsifer and Steve, Darlene Hussey and Shannon, South Paris.

Lizzie Abbott, a former resident of this place, is back in the hospital again.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Eino Kangas were in Togus last Sunday to see his uncle, Fay Blake and Matt Leino.

Ralph Estes is a patient at Togus Hospital.

WOODSTOCK**Moderator: Craig Morgan****Clerk: Shannon Hinkley****Selectmen: Richard Felt****Treasurer: Merle Ring****Collector: Phil Farrington****Rate paid collector, 1.5%, plus****excise (\$50).****School Committee: Annie Ros-****enberg.****Road Commissioner: Vernon Po-****land.****Appropriations****Roads****Winter****Raised Tar****Summer Rds. & Bridges****Appropriated****Memorial Day (raise)****Support of Poor (raise)****Officers' Salaries****Misc. Account****Total Appropriations****Total Raised****In addition to these figures it****was voted to appropriate "neces-****sary amounts" for various other****expenditures. These amounts are****not as yet determined.****SUMNER****Moderator: Vernon Redding****Clerk: Richard Walker****Selectmen: Kenneth Cole****Treasurer and Collector: Rich-****ard Walker.****Rate paid collector, 1 1/4%****School Committee: Earle Simp-****son, 3 yrs.****Road Commissioner: Calvin****Norton****Appropriations****Roads and Bridges****Snow Removal****Insurance****Civil Defense****Electricity****Care of Cemeteries****Dump****State Aid Road****Chan. 10 Broadcasting****I. W. Andrews & Son****Ambulance****Memorial Day****Support of Poor****Officers' Bonds****Swimming Lessons****Androscoggin Hm. Hlth.****Tri-County Mtl. Hlth.****Andros. Valley Regional****Planning****Oxford County Soil & Water****Project Independence****White Pine Blister Rust****Workmen's Compensation****Total Appropriations****Amount raised last year****\$17,749.00****CARD OF THANKS****I want to say a big thank-you to****all people who have remembered****me with cards and gifts since I****broke my arm. Thanks again.****Shelley Rice****WILLIAM McDOUGALL****ANDOVER, MAINE****Phone Directory Listed****Reupholstering of Fine Furniture****also truck & heavy equipment seats****NORWAY****Moderator: Robert Sallies****Clerk: Joyce M. Ball****Selectmen: Winona Palmer and****Peter Montpelier****Treasurer and Collector: Larry****Todd, Town Manager****School Committee: Dorothy East-****on****Road Commissioner: Donald****Hunt.****Appropriations:****Roads and Bridges****Snow Removal****School Maintenance****Interest, 9 1/2%****Memorial Day****Support of Poor****Officers' Salaries****Total Appropriations****\$780,523.98****WEST PARIS****Town Meeting March 4, 1975****Moderator: Vernon Inman****Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collec-****tor: 1 year, Carolyn Palmer.****Selectman, Assessor, and Over-****seer: 1 year, Charles Coffin, in-****cumbent.****Road Commissioner: 1 year, Rob-****ert Coffin, 40 votes; Gerald Ham-****mond, 38 votes.****Water Commissioner: 3 years,****Walter Appleby, Sr.****SAD #17 Director: 3 years, Ma-****ry B. Emery.****Raised and Appropriated:****Snow****Roads and Bridges****Tar****Bushes****Truck Note****State Aid Road****Town Dump****Hydrant Rental****Interest****Fire Dept.****Civil Defense****Fire Station Note****Planning Board****Andros. Home Health****Tri County Mental Hlth.****Oxford Hills Area Dev.****Corp.****Municipal Building****Municipal Building Note****Town Officers****Office Expense****Workman's Comp. &****Liability****Social Security****Insurance****Charities****Library****Ambulance Service****Cemeteries****Street Lights****Snowmobile Trails****O.E.O.****Tax Map Note****Library Roof Note****Loader Note****Project Independence****Shade Tree Planting****Bicentennial****Total Raised****Surplus****Revenue Sharing****Excise****15,000.00****WEEKLY SPECIALS****TENDERLOIN or SIRLOIN STEAK****P. P. potato, vegetable, rolls and****butter \$2.95****AL'S STEAK HOUSE****Al Mullen & Son****between****Berlin & Gorham, N. H.****Tel. 603 752-8001****Open 7 days a week****11 A. M. - 2 A. M.****East Bethel****Mrs. David Foster, Corres.**

There will be a grange meeting Friday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. David Foster if enough members are present.

Mrs. Florence Hastings returned home Saturday from staying at the Al Bancroft home on Paris Hill for a week.

Mrs. Lillian Bartlett, Mrs. Peggy Coolidge, Mrs. Leona Curtis, Mrs. Floribel Haines and Mrs. Leona Lurvey were dinner guests of Mrs. Maud Danforth Tuesday.

Mrs. Floribel Haines attended the World Day of Prayer at the Methodist Church Friday.

Mrs. Mona Cole and Mrs. Ida Hadley of West Paris; Mrs. Lydia Ross, R. N., of South Paris were Wednesday visitors of Mrs. Leona Curtis. Mrs. Leona Curtis and Mrs. Leona Lurvey visited Mrs. Winona Davis in Bethel Thursday.

Mrs. Leona Curtis was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole and Miss Charlotte Cole Sunday.

Mrs. Curtis and Miss Cole later attended the Locke Mills Church service and saw the slides of Palestine and Jerusalem that the missionaries showed.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Coolidge and children, Rosalie and Teresa, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Remington

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CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Ronald C. McKinstry
Nancy Hanscom, Organist
Rodney Hanscom, Chairman
Administrative Board

Sunday, March 16:
9:00 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
Youth Fellowship, Sundays, 6 p. m.

Choir Rehearsal, Tuesdays, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:
10 a. m. Study Groups meet at the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.
Monday, 3:21 p. m. Junior Choir Rehearsal.

West Parish Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel

Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist
Ms. Carlene Bradley, Director of Christian Education

Sunday 10 a. m. Morning Worship, Child care nursery (Church kitchen), Nursery Class, Chapel (3 & 4 year olds)

Wednesday, 3:15 - 4:15 p. m. Church School classes for kindergarten through grade 6.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Choir Rehearsal at the Church.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Rev. Barbara Huse, Interim Pastor

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Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

5:00 p. m. N.Y.P.S.

6:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 7 p. m. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting. For information concerning meeting please phone 836-3354.

For transportation to any service, please call Mrs. Geraldine Shimamura, 836-3354.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
29 Paris St., Norway
Tel. 743-2806

Saturday, 4:30 p. m. Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

Chapel of Christ the King
Episcopal

Sundays at 7:30 p. m., Casco Bank Building.

Bethel Gospel Center
at the Odd Fellows Hall -
Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.

Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.

Youth Group, 5:00 p. m.

Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service, 7:00 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. John Haverinen

Church services, 9:30 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.

Mrs. Richard Melville, organist and choir director. Choir rehearsal every Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

9:15, Sunday School.

10:30, Morning Worship Service.

6:30, Young Peoples' Meeting.

7:30, Evening Service.

Weststock Seventh-day Adventist Church

Pastor: Dwayne Toppenberg

Saturday:
Sabbath School, 10:00 a. m.

Church Service, 11:30.

Prayer meeting: Tuesday evening, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister

Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist

Worship Service, 10 a. m.

Sunday School, 11 a. m.

L.R.Y. 6 p. m.

Newry Community Church

Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m.

Rodney Hanscom, Pastor. Robert Duran, Pianist.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Youth Group meets Sunday at 6:30 p. m.

Calvary Congregational Church
Andover, Maine

M. Lester Strout, Pastor

Miss Beverly White, Pianist

Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Bible-centered lessons; Classes for all ages; Adult class.

Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Oxford Branch—at the Branch Chapel, Skeefield Road, Oxford.

Sunday:
Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.

Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.

Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organization) 9 a. m.

Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45 p. m.

M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.

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UNITED METHODIST WOMEN MET MARCH 6

The United Methodist Women met at the home of Bertha Thurston, Thursday, March 6 at 1:30 p. m. with fifteen members in attendance. A program preceded the meeting in charge of Sarah Stevens which included a skit about Jonah.

The president, Sarah Stevens, conducted the business meeting which included routine reports and discussions of plans for the month of March. A letter from the Richard Hamilton's with greetings for all was read by Minnie Wilson.

Final plans were completed for the World Day of Prayer. It was voted to buy stationery with the picture of the church on it as a money-raising project for the coming year.

The next meeting will be at Cora Bennett's, April 3. Rena Abbott has the program.

METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

The MYF met again this Sunday night. We had a pot luck supper with the Newry Youth Group. After we all had a big supper, Randall Stevens was nice enough to show us the slides of his trip he took several years ago.

We have another new member, Brent Godwin. We hope to give him and Lori Bachelder their initiations at our next meeting. If you want to join, come to one of our meetings, Sunday night, at 6 o'clock. You sure are welcome. — Eddie Swain.

First Congregational Church United Church of Christ Andover

James E. Bosworth, Pastor
Mrs. Linda Burnham, Organist
Mrs. Shirley Fifield, Music Director

Daniel Kraft,
Church School Superintendent

Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a. m.

Church School, 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets, 1:30 p. m.

Jr. Choir, Florence Kraft, Director, 2:45 p. m.

Sanctuary Choir rehearses, 7:30 p. m.

Rumford Point Congregational Church

Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor

Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist

Mr. Kenneth Murray, Supt. of Church School

Sunday, March 16:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.

10:45 a. m. Church School.

5:00 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

Tuesday, March 18: 7 p. m. Cadette Girl Scouts at Mrs. Morton's.

Wednesday, March 19: After School—Den 2 of Cub Scouts at Mr. DeFree's; Den 3 of Cub Scouts at Mrs. McCluskey's; Brownies at the church; 7:00 p. m. Mid-week Lenten Service with Rev. Lester Strout.

Thursday, March 20:
7 p. m. Youth Chorus rehearsal.

7:30 p. m. Senior Choir rehearsal.

Friday, March 21:
7 p. m. Troop #509 of Boy Scouts at the Church.

Cozy Inn Nursing Home

Tuesday, March 18: 10:30 a. m. Worship Service with Rev. Robert Plummer as guest minister.

OXFORD COUNTY UNITED PARISH

Charles S. Kent, Pastor

Wilbur I. Bull, D. D., Pastor Emeritus

Albany Congregational Church
Kathleen Bennett, clerk, telephone 824-2792.

East Stoneham Congregational Church

Sunday:
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

Mr. Kent preaching.

North Waterford Congregational Church

Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

Mr. Kent preaching.

The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Dixfield

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Christian Science Services

In all Christian Science Churches, the Lesson-Sermon read from the desk is the same. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, March 16: Subject—Substance. Golden Text: Jeremiah 29: 13, 14 "Ye shall seek me, and find me; when ye shall search for me with all your heart, and I will be found of you, saith the Lord."

First Church of Christ Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morning services at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at the same hour for pupils up to the age of 20 years. The Wednesday evening meeting is at 7:45, including testimonies of healing.

Christian Science Society, Norway, 9 Stevens St., 622 Alpine St. Sunday: Services and Sunday School at 10:30 a. m.

The second and fourth Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

Wednesday evening includes testimonies of healing.

You are cordially invited to attend these services. Everyone is welcome.

The radio series, "The Truth That Heals," may be heard on radio stations, as advertised in this newspaper.

RED CROSS FUND DRIVE IS THIS MONTH

When disaster strikes anywhere in the world, the American Red Cross is there with needed supplies and personnel. The media, however, does not publicize the work of the Red Cross in Bethel, Maine.

First of all, the Red Cross is now drawing, processing, and supplying blood for anyone who is in need. Patient costs only cover processing. Aid is given to dependent families of our military personnel. The details are completely confidential and, as funds and needs permit, they are without obligation. The swimming instructor for our summer lessons is trained by the Red Cross. Funds are added to our community budget to help keep the swimming program free and available to all children. The Red Cross tests the water to insure safety for our youngsters.

This month volunteers in our community will be knocking at neighbors' doors for the annual Red Cross Fund Drive. Under the guidance of the Bethel chairpersons, Mrs. Dana Douglass, Mrs. John Frankewicz, and Kimball Ames, volunteer solicitors are Sarah Stevens, Eleanor Hutchins, Lisa Fox, Gemma Morrill, Sue Grover, Sue Farrar, Jane Barth, Barbara Gallant, Elsie Waldron, Mary Hurd, Wendy Rice, Musa Brown, Betty Ann Hastings, Daisy Leclair, Charlotte Bennett, Muriel Gilbert, Eleanor Jordrey, Mary Angevine, Jeanne Flynn, Sally Ramage, Gwen Stecher, Sudie Vachon, Mary Chabourne, Jane Vogt, Lillian Conant, Betty Belisle, David Thompson, Dana Douglass, Betty Gilbert, Deedee Kellogg, Edith Eypper, Marjorie Barker and Marilyn Gilbert.

30 Seconds WITH THE NAZARENE

Rev. Barbara Huse, Pastor
Bethel Church of the Nazarene

How often we have heard it said that it is a sign of too many birthdays when we begin to say, "Remember when?" It is also true that many times a more "forgetty" seems to play a more active role than our memory. We say "Oh forget it!" in disgust or we say, "Sorry, I forgot!" You know it is true that sometimes we remember what we ought to forget and we forget what we ought to remember. What am I saying here? Oh well, you figure it out, it is a bit dense.

There is a hymn that came to mind just as we were typing these words, "Jesus remembers when the world forgets, other friends may fail you. He is always true. He will heal your broken heart, burdened with regrets, Jesus still remembers when the world forgets." You know that is true, He never does forget us. Isn't that just great? I think it is wonderful to know a friend like that who always has us on his heart!

Another wonderful fact is, that God forgives and forgets. All of our sins are buried in the sea of God's forgetfulness and brothers and sisters, that is good enough for me! Think about this verse from Psalm 103:2, "Bless the Lord, O my Soul, and forget not all his benefits."

WELLESLEY CLUB TO CELEBRATE 100th YEAR OF COLLEGE

The 100th anniversary of Wellesley College will be celebrated by the Western Maine Wellesley Club on Monday, March 17. The Founder's program to be held at 1:30 p. m. at St. Mary's Parish House, Falmouth Foreside, will feature the presentation of awards to six distinguished Maine women. Following the awards ceremony, the theatrical collage "Who's a Lady?" will be presented.

Who's a Lady? by Annette Miller, directed by Helaine Witkind and featuring Mrs. Miller and Naomi Thornton. Views modern women's quest for identity featuring romance, seduction, motherhood, marriage, courtship and sexism. Along with songs by Paul Anka, Bertolt Bercht, Fred Ebb, Jonni Kander and Sandy Wilson; the show includes sketches on feminism by Jules Feiffer, Judith Viorst, J. Doris Lessing, Tennessee Williams, and J. D. Salinger.

The six awardees to be honored as Distinguished Maine Women include Gladys Doten Chapman (Mrs. Philip F.) of Portland, Catherine E. Cutler (Mrs. Lawrence M.) Bangor, Judge Harriet P. Henry (Mrs. Merton G.) of Portland, Dr. Beryl M. Moore of Oxford, Jean Sampson (Mrs. Richard) of Lewiston and Edith Koon Sills (Mrs. Kenneth C. M.) of Portland.

The public is invited to join in the celebration of Wellesley's centennial and in honoring these women. Reservations may be made with Mrs. B. E. Laughlin, 4 Bayshore Road, Falmouth.

Dr. Beryl M. Moore, graduate of Wellesley College and Tufts Medical School, has been serving the

10 YEARS AGO

Pvt. Dwight O. Lord was transferred from Fort Dix to U. S. A. Joint Support Group, Washington, D. C.

Extensive changes were underway, preparatory to the enlargement of Bosserman's Pharmacy. The building, formerly a part of the William Rogers Chapman estate was owned by Dr. E. L. Brown.

The University of New Hampshire Concert choir presented an entertainment at the William Bingham Auditorium.

The article in Bethel Town Warrant to build a fire station was approved. The town raised \$284,067 for 1965.

Citizens of Peru voted to build and equip an elementary school building with four classrooms, supply room and boiler room.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker were honored with a surprise housewarming at their home on Mason Street.

Deaths: Elbridge H. Woodworth, Daniel R. Smith.

20 YEARS AGO

South Paris won over Lisbon in the final game for the Western Maine basketball championship. Structural steel had arrived for the three-span bridge at Rumford Point.

Burnham and Morrill sponsored a meeting for blueberry growers of Oxford County at the Universalist Church, South Paris.

The citizens of Andover voted an addition to the high school to be used either as classroom or gymnasium.

A bill authorizing the construction of an airport at Fryeburg was giving a hearing at Augusta.

Deaths: Mrs. Stella Allen, William H. House.

30 YEARS AGO

Rural Routes One and Three from the Bethel Post Office were consolidated with Earl Davis as carrier.

The Maple Sugar Producers of Oxford County held a meeting at the Fire Hall, South Paris.

The sum of \$48,740.43 was raised by appropriation at the annual Bethel town meeting.

It was voted to close the upper grades of the schools at East Bethel and West Bethel at the town meeting.

Deaths: Clarence W. Hall, Mrs. Eva A. Chapman.

40 YEARS AGO

A meteor landed in the vicinity of Oxford.

Oneil Robertson, was selected to represent the Bethel Boy Scout Troop at the National Jamboree in Washington.

Forty persons were naturalized at the March term of Superior Court at Rumford.

Deaths: Mrs. Addie Hicks, Mrs. Emily G. Knights, L. M. Blanchard, Caleb Morrill.

50 YEARS AGO

The special committee on village school buildings recommended to the town of Bethel: (1) Larger building accommodations absolutely necessary. (2) A new building separate from the "Brick Building" be erected.

The pews for the Christian Science Church were installed. (This building is now the Masonic Hall.)

Deaths: George W. Devine, Mrs. Edith Kittredge, Robert A. Edwards.

LA LECHE LEAGUE MEETS MARCH 14

"Advantages of Breastfeeding to Mother and Baby," the first in a continuing series of four discussion meetings sponsored by the area group of La Leche League will be held on Friday, March 14, 9:30 a. m. at the home of Cathy Story, the Advent Christian parsonage on Rt. 26 near Twitchell's Greenhouse. Her telephone number is 743-7310.

All nursing mothers and their babies are invited to attend, and expectant mothers who are considering nursing their babies are encouraged to attend a series of informal meetings so they can learn more about breastfeeding and so they can meet other women who are breastfeeding their babies. Other interested women are also welcome to come. For further information call the group leader, Fay Corrin at Bryant Pond 101.

medical needs of Oxford and surrounding communities with unusual dedication for many years. In that time she has delivered more than 2000 babies, often going for miles on snowshoes or in a tractor when roads were blocked. Longtime Health Officer for Oxford and Oxford, she has been since 1956 a member of the active staff of Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway, serving three terms as president. A fellow citizen writes, "Every action in her career has been to improve the lives of others and unquestionably half of her practice has been given to the indigent."

NEWS FROM THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

It seemed very quiet this week at the Nazarene Church after having the Evangelistic Association team at the church last week end. Fourteen Eastern Nazarene College students were able to make it. They were Paul Shelp, Glen Burnie, Md.; Daniel Cramer, Cadillac, Mich.; Diane Paige, Schenectady, N. Y.; Raymond Buckley, Seattle, Wash.; Diana Becker, Wallingford, Conn.; Nancy Cove, Auburn, N. Y.; Jill Mock, Roversford, Pa.; Steven Dezzell, Newport, Vt. Beth Herberle, Utica, N. Y.; Dean Nowland, Norton, Mass.; Sue Markott, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Alan Jones, Tusculum, Fla.; Leon Blaise, Schenectady, N. Y.; and Julie Creswell, Glen Burnie, Md.

Arriving later than expected due to the poor traveling conditions instead of the planned visitation there was only time to practice for the evening service after which they were treated to a roast pork supper in the church dining room. Then pandemonium broke loose as the young people got ready for the evening service.

The boys were banished to the upstairs study as the girls unpacked downstairs. It seems as if the greatest invention yet must be the electric curler as every outlet contained a cord hitched to curlers hitched to a girl. The results sure were worth it as anyone who attended the service could attest.

The kids looked great and they put on an even greater service, with Leon Blaise giving the message. After the service a special teen meeting was held downstairs. For those hardy souls of all ages still hanging in there after that, the E. A. team shrugged off fatigue and put on a series of hilarious skits intermixed with choruses and gospel songs. Then all seven girls went with the Jim Cobbs, three boys with the John Mills, and four boys with the Joe Shimamura for a well deserved nights sleep.

Morning found all back at the church where they taught Sunday School and conducted the church service, Raymond Buckley giving the message. After a fellowship dinner in the dining room they went out to get some pictures of the mountains and conduct another service at the Sunset Home

in Bryant Pond, then back to the church for the final service. Steve Dezzell gave a short sermon but most of the service was one of song and testimony. Everyone was very sorry to see them leave as they all squeezed into their van, headed for McDonald's before their long trip back to college.

Although the church is quieter now, it won't be for long. We were very happy to welcome our pastor, Rev. Barbara Huse back after a two weeks illness and now preparations are being made to welcome Andrew and Barbara Friend and two little sons who will be here March 21, 22 and 23. Former missionaries to Mozambique, this young couple has quite a story to share so we hope to see you there.

BOY SCOUTS TROOP 545

Sunday the Boy Scouts went on a cook out-cue fishing trip on Twitchell Pond. It was a fairly warm day and no false flags caused by the wind. All scouts brought hot dogs and soda, with the exception of two who brought fried chicken. Ten scouts attended and all had a good time. The scouts are planning other such activities. Keep watching for more Scout news soon—Gary Carter, Scribe.

Perhaps the next step would be the returnable milk container, the pickle barrel and the cracker barrel.

The amendment to the bill where the grocer does not have to accept the unsanitary bottle is not in the least helpful for three reasons. We are not able to take a bacteria count on the container brought in. Nobody is going to go to the trouble of washing their bottles before returning them and we can't afford to offend our customers by telling them we can't accept their unsanitary bottles. I hope our customers will do what they can to discourage this bill and not make their favorite food store part of the town dump.

One other point that bothers me is the problem of storage. I should doubt if ninety percent of our stores have adequate storage facilities for such a program. It certainly would be unfair to force new construction onto your food retailer for such an unprofitable venture especially in these unsteady times.

I couldn't help but note a comment someone put in the paper that the bottle bill would increase employment in the stores. That is something we certainly do not need, increased labor costs.

Personally I would like to see the problem solved through a solid waste disposal and recycling plan. I believe that if the program was administered properly it would be self-supporting or at least no more additional costs than what we already pay to waste disposal.

a concerned grocer,
Ellsworth C. Hathaway

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OXFORD POMONA HELD AT SOUTH PARIS TUESDAY

Paris Grange entertained Oxford Pomona No. 2 and the visiting Androscoggin Pomona No. 1 Tuesday, March 4, with a 6:30 supper being served before the meeting to 102 members. Master Albert Greenwood and his officers filled the chairs. State Master Ronald Bagley and National L. A. S., also Maine State Grange Flora Bernice Bagley, were presented to the Master Station.

The Lecturer, Dorothy Gibbs, requested a recess for the program and carried out the following entertainment: Opening song, Grand Old Flag, By Cecil Pare, with audience singing. Two interesting readings were delivered by Sister Esther Kilborn from Cumberland and Oxford Pomona; Piano Solo, Cecil Pare. Slides of the old canal beds that were built in the 1895 era from Portland to Sebago and Songo Lock to Harrison were shown. Other canals that had been laid out but never finished were shown on the map. The railroads in the era of 1825-1850 were built and gained the advantage over the shipping by the canals. The cost was one cent per pound and the boats traveled four miles per hour. This was compared to 30 cents a pound but a quicker delivery of goods.

After the picture, Brother Pare sang a solo with encore. The audience sang on the chorus of "When Irish Eyes are Smiling."

Oxford Pomona Master Neil Conant, gave the address of welcome and Brother Albert Greenwood, Master of Androscoggin Pomona, responded.

Oxford Pomona officers were invited by Androscoggin Pomona on April 2, to fill their chairs. A flag tableau was put on by Sister Beatrice and Brother Gilbert Sturte-

Cub Scout News

Den 1: We met at Mrs. Barker's house at 3 o'clock March 7. We finished our owls made out of pine cones and a stick. - David Olson, Denner.

Den 3 - We met at Mrs. Rice's house after school Thursday. Jimmy Feeney joined us in our den. We played games and worked on a project for the circus theme. Scott brought refreshments this week. - Denner, Scott Kennagh.

Den 5 met at Virginia Johnson's Friday after school and played cards and worked on our achievements and electives. - Bill Mason.

The closing thought was by an Androscoggin member.

Brother Bagley was called upon and gave these dates to remember. April 26, Degree Day at Augusta; March 15, Youth Conference at Augusta; July 12, picnic to be held at Two Lights Park for Oxford, Androscoggin, Cumberland

Pomonas. Everyone is urged to attend. Next year's Degree Day will fall on April 24, 1976 at Augusta. He is announcing this early so Grangers can plan to keep that day open next year.

Sister Bagley spoke briefly. Fred Judkins reported on agricultural program which will be held at West Paris Pomona, May 7. He is planning an interesting entertainment. Don't miss it.

A rehearsal for degree work will be held at Oxford, March 28, at 7 p.m. Degrees will be conferred at

CARD OF THANKS The family of Veltora Trites thank our friends and neighbors for their thoughtfulness during our recent bereavement.

Mr. Robert Trites
Mr. Dexter Thompson
Mr. and Mrs. Merton Conner
Mrs. Elsie Douglass



MEMBERS OF PINELAND SKI CLUB.

of Andover, who participated in the Eastern Ski Association Torger Tokle Championships, held at Lake Placid, N. Y., March 8 and 9.

(Back row, left to right: Chris Mills (placed 3rd in Boys Class 3 cross country, and 4th in combined); Russell Palmer (4th, class 3 boys, and 5th in combined); Mary Ann Jaros (2nd place relay); Karen Saret (1st place relay); Richard Morton (2nd place cross country, class 3, 6th in combined, and 3rd place relay).

Front row: Chuck Jaros (3rd place in relay and 5th in combined); J. Deans (3rd, class 5 boys cross country, 7th in jumping, 3rd combined and 1st place in relay); Glenn Dunn (1st place, class 4 boys cross country, 1st place relay, 1st place combined, 6th place jumping) Ed Palmer (5th, class 4 cross country, 5th jumping, 2nd in combined); Mike Norton (9th, class 4 cross country).

A total of 180 competitors participated in the cross country and

relay race, 55 competitors in jumping and 35 in combined. Pineland Ski Club is in District 1, Maine.

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JACKSON-SILVER POST & UNIT MET FOR REGULAR MEETINGS

Jackson-Silver Post and Unit No. 68, American Legion and Auxiliary of Locke Mills, met for their regular meetings March 6, in spite of the snow storm.

Commander Richard Melville presided at the men's session, and President Cathryn Lovejoy held an informal business meeting.

Plans were completed for the Legion's 56th birthday party, March 20, which will be a pot luck affair. Joyce Hathaway will make the special cake and members will bring a dish of their choice.

Guests will be State President, Mary Olsson, of Waterville, and Ruth Julious, the Eastern Division National Vice President, of Turner.

The men have invited William Rogers of Auburn, and Vice Commander Chester Worthington of Brunswick.

The president draped the charter and a short prayer was said for Mrs. Gertrude Powers who passed away, Feb. 23. She was buried at the Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Augusta. A donation was made to the Memorial Fund.

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SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. 44-WEEK OF MARCH 17

Monday: Hot turkey sandwich, tossed salad, cranberry sauce, frosted cake, mixed breads and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg in home made bun, beets, juice, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Baked potato, hot dogs, green beans, juice, peanut butter cookie, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: Beef and gravy, mashed potato, carrots, congo bars, hot rolls and butter, milk.

Friday: No school (Teachers' Workshop).

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CELEBRATES 80th BIRTHDAY



Mrs. Margaretta Spinney

Mrs. Margaretta Spinney celebrated her 80th birthday, Sunday, March 9, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Gaudreau. Mrs. Spinney was surprised by the gathering of her family for a family dinner at noon. Dinner guests included her sister, Mrs. Maude Danforth and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. William Young, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Deegan, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deegan, Marc and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smith, Miss Joan and Kathy Deegan, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gaudreau and children, Geoffrey, Thomas, David, Betsy and Bradley. Unable to attend was Mrs. Spinney's aunt, Mrs. Sara Lapham of Westbrook. Also having dinner with the family was Harold Smith and Mrs. Irene Hutchinson.

Later in the afternoon the following guests dropped in to wish Mrs. Spinney a happy birthday. Roderick Hawthorne, Mrs. James Tuttle and Melinda, Edward Haines, Mrs. Doris Fraser, Miss Helen Varner, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mundt, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bailey, Charles Chapin, Mrs. Velma Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Hastings, Mr. and Mrs. George Bachelder and Lori, Miss Betty Tripp, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters, and Mr. and Mrs. Jason Smith.

Mrs. Spinney was presented a corsage by her two daughters, Leah Deegan and Mary Jane Gaudreau. She received many cards, punch, cookies and cake were money and gifts. Several unable to attend sent cards and gifts. Refreshments of coffee, tea and punch, cookies and cake were served. Betty Deegan made the beautiful birthday cake.

Mrs. Spinney was born in Mon-

Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. — Stanley Roseman has purchased the Coffin camp. He and his wife plan to move in very soon as permanent residents.

We extend sympathy to the relatives of Velzora Thompson Trites. Velzora lived in town several years with her husband, Ray Thompson, who carried the mail, and their son Dexter.

Olivia and Germaine Dube, of East Hereford, Que., were week end guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gilles Vieux.

Maude Harrington of Bethel called on several friends in town Tuesday.

Marilyn Brennon went to Massachussetts this week to attend her uncle's funeral.

Elsie Fuller and Mae Goodrum went to Bethel and Berlin, Tuesday.

Lucien Bernier was an overnight guest of his parents, Sunday.

Dale and Scott Korhonen were week end guests at the Berniers while their parents attended an auction in Connecticut.

Bob Powers got his goods, which were stored at Brennon's and Goodrum's.

TO ALL BETHEL VOTERS

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75th BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Selma Chapman returned home Sunday, after being a dinner guest of her sister, to find her home gaily decorated for an open house, by Mr. and Mrs. William Holden and children honoring her on her 75th birthday.

To start the afternoon off, Margaret, her niece, presented her with a corsage of mini carnations and sweetheart roses.

During the afternoon she received gifts and a money tree in the form of a '75. She also received phone calls from her brother in New Jersey; nephews in Caribou and Connecticut; and a niece in Texas.

Selma has three sisters; Alice Hamilton, Florida; Hazel Cary, Bryant Pond; and Josephine Tripp, Bethel, and a brother, Carlos Smith.

Refreshments of a birthday cake, made by Josephine; coffee and punch was served to relatives and friends from Newry, Bethel, Hanover, Bryant Pond and South Paris.

tana, moved to Sherbrooke, Que., and then to Bethel where she has been a resident for over 60 years. Mrs. Spinney is the widow of James A. Spinney, and has two daughters, Mrs. Leah Deegan and Mrs. Mary Jane Gaudreau, nine grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Spinney belongs to Round Mountain Grange and to Mundt-Allen Unit, American Legion Auxiliary. She enjoys TV, knitting, caring for her home, and cooking for Grange suppers.

One comment heard during the day was, "I don't feel 80 years old."

Surprises of the day were still to come, as in the evening, she received a telephone call from her niece, Mrs. Rodney Brooks, in California.

Newry

— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. — David L. Lane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane, recently enlisted in the U. S. Air Force and is stationed in Texas for his basic training. His address is AB David L. Lane, SSANSROO5566181, PSC 4 Sq. 3702, Flight 0228, Lackland AFB, Texas 78236

Neighbor Bible Study was postponed last week due to the weather. Sue Wight will lead this week's study, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip O'Donnell, and family, Cumberland, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Bachelder.

Newry Mothers Club met Monday evening. A masquerade party was featured with prizes for best costumes going to Gilberte Seeley, Persis Post, Sylvia Wight and Bea Lowell.

A White Elephant sale was held with proceeds going to the Club. A tasting party was enjoyed by all. Frances Bennett won the mystery

prize. The president closed the meeting with a prayer.

Mrs. Persis Post is to check into having the names of Newry men who have lost their lives in recent wars inscribed on the monument in front of Bear River Grange Hall.

Next meeting will be held April 14 at 7:30 p. m. at Raymond Foster school.

Everyone is to make and wear an Easter bonnet. Prizes will be awarded for the most original, prettiest and funniest.

Refreshment committee will be Eleanor Davis, Jeannine Fleet, Mary Morin and Peggy Wight.

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Co-Op Corner

Pam Coolidge



Wilfred Gibson

Wilfred Gibson, a junior at Telstar is participating in the Co-Op Program as a Lab Assistant at Rumford Community Hospital. Wilfred works in the lab with his supervisor, Claire DeVries, and enjoys it very much. He observes the many tests performed, cleans up, delivers reports, and prepares culture medias. He relates the most challenging aspects of the job are doing the different tests and understanding how the new lab computer works.

Through the program, Wilfred is gaining work experience and is learning something about the application of chemistry.

After graduation Wilfred plans to do some traveling on his motorcycle, and then join one of the armed services to study chemistry, computers, or engineering.

When not working or attending school, Wilfred enjoys reading about electronics and data processing, snowmobiling, doing experiments in his own chemistry lab, riding his motorcycle, walking and cooking, besides various other activities. He is also involved in the Math League.

A resident of Northwest Bethel, Wilfred is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Gibson Jr.

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Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. — Miss Roberta Anderson has been spending the semester break at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Marsters York, Plainfield, Vt., called on the Jesse Doyen's Thursday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Newell and Michael spent the week end with relatives in Athol, Mass.

Mrs. Bruce MacDormand and Scott, Hampton, N. H., and Miss Beth Douglass, visited with the Dave Salway's Saturday afternoon.

Saturday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Salway and family were Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Jodrey, Becky and Mike.

Week end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bancroft have been Mr. and Mrs. Lauris Morrill, Freeport; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gardner, Waterford and Ted Carter, California.

Donna Merrill and Buzzie Lapham were in Lewiston on Saturday.

Bonnie Arseneault and Nathan Weeks were week end callers at Howard Lapham's.

Forgiveness is the fragrance of the violet on the heel of the one who crushed it.

North Woodstock

— Mrs. Linda Fraser, Corres. — Mrs. Norma Heikkinen and friend, West Paris, spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg spent the week end on Cape Cod. Tim and Sue Rosenberg, Milton spent the week end with Mike.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Billings called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ross, Paris Hill, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fraser and Mary, visited Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stevens in Oxford, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis were dinner guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis and family in observance of Lettie's birthday.

Mrs. Louise Chapman and girls were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Rosenberg of Bangor are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, March 10. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg who are caring for their granddaughter, Stephanie Rosenberg, while her mother is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights and Jim and Sandra Gammon, returned home Sunday night after spending a week with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sicotte and Jason, in Alexandria, Va.

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The week started with a new face at the center. Sharon Byrnes, Rumford, has been hired under the government CETA program as a new teacher aide. Sharon joins Judy Egan and Sandra Savage on the teaching staff. The Community Aide, Louise Chapman has been out taking applications for the 19-75-76 school year. If you have a four year old, or know of one who may be eligible for Head Start let her know. (824-2284)

On Monday Sheri Morgan finished her dental follow up with Dr. Rice.

Monday evening a group of interested parents and friends gathered at the center for a very informative and pleasant talk by Denis Corrin, psychologist from Bryant Pond. His talk was on "Coping with a four year old." Those present were: Yvonne and William Robinson, Myrtie Robinson, Candy Howard, Jennice Cole, Carol and

Irving York, Darlene and Adrian Morin, Judy Bean, Yvette and Ivory Currier, Mary Tyler, Phyllis Dock, Quada Billings, Sandra Savage, Ann Bishop and Louise Chapman.

On Tuesday after school, Judy, Sandra, Sharon and Louise met with Phyllis Dock, new Community Education Developer for an informal staff meeting. Phyllis will be working throughout Oxford County involving the community in our program.

Wednesday was a thrill for all. The children were introduced to the sport of bowling. This was done at Oxford Lanes in Rumford where a very good time was had by all. Special thanks go to Don Parker for the use of his van, and to Ann Paton for chauffeuring it.

Donations have been: delicious molasses cookies from Mrs. Mary Tyler, apples from Sharon Sprague and Mary Tyler and Legg's party hose eggs from Virginia Hutchins and Carolyn Brooks.

in Colebrook Friday night, shopping.

Everyone is sick with colds up this way.

LeRoy Olson was in Colebrook Friday evening and got caught in the bad snow storm but made it home O. K.

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Word received from Helen Hart, who is spending the winter in Gorham, Maine, is that she fell and broke her wrist this winter. It is better now and she has the cast off.

Mrs. Eleanor White, R. N., went to Togus Sunday to visit her husband, Glen at the Veterans Hospital. She found him feeling much better.

The Donald Glover family were

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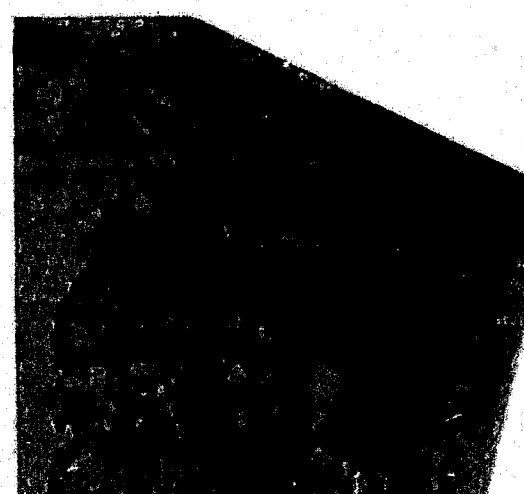
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Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres.
The Bryant Pond Brownie Troop met at the Gym after school on Monday, March 3, for their Investiture Ceremony. Ten girls were invested: Michelle Cummings, Amy Otero, Theresa Wilbur, Liz Scott, Lisa Thurlow, Brenda Farnum, Joyce Walen, Pamela Walker, Kelly Savage and LeeAnn Whitman. The mothers came to this meeting and refreshments were served. The Leaders are Shelia Otero and Marion Walen. The Brownies had a Thank You from Ledgeview Memorial Home for the Valentines they made for the patients in February.

The Heart Fund Drive for Woodstock is completed and \$171.00 was sent in. A thank you to all the volunteers who helped and to all who gave. If for some reason you were missed in this drive, you may send your donation to the Maine Heart Association, Augusta.

Jefferson Chapter #89 will hold their annual meeting on Friday evening, March 14. This will be election of Officers and there will be a tasting party after the meeting.

The Daughters of Veterans met Monday evening at the home of Verna Swan with 12 members present. Elena Noyes was appointed as guide, and Beatrice Farnum as Jr. Vice Pres. A thank you from DeeDee Jordan says her knee is better. Letter from VAYS Chairman with a list of projects we may choose from to do for Togs. 36 calls were made. Voted to order a new flag for the honor roll. Voted to buy one calendar from the Department and send the rest back. Verna Swan and Hazel Brooks reported on the Patriotic Get-together they attended at Norway, said they had a very nice supper and program. Refreshments were served by Elena Noyes and Verna Swan after the meeting and a Silent Auction was held. Voted to have a Rummage and Food Sale May 7. Beatrice Farnum received the mystery package. Andrea Hoyt and Hazel Brooks will be on the refreshment committee for the meeting April 14.

Wednesday, March 19, at 7:00 p. m., Children's Rally, sponsored by Child Evangelism Fellowship. Miss Louise Moore, CEF missionary to Africa, will be the speaker. This is at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church.

The Woodstock Extension will meet at the Home of Rebecca Holland on Wednesday, March 19 at 1 p. m. The program will include sewing tips and to plan the German dinner to be held in April at the Extension meeting.

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Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.
The Boy Scouts will be going on a winter camp out this week end at their camping area on South Pond. They will leave late Friday and return Sunday.

The Union Church was nearly full last Sunday evening as people came in from all over the area to see Rev. John Haverinen's slides on his trip to Jerusalem. His talk on the slides was very interesting and it was a privilege to see the places mentioned in the Bible and paths Jesus walked as he went about his ministry. After the talk the ladies of the church served coffee and punch in the Sunday School room where tables were beautifully set with silver and napkins and plates for cookies, cakes and coffee cake. Everyone attending was very appreciative of the work put in by Rev. Haverinen, his wife, and the workers of the church to make it a very pleasant, informative evening.

Mrs. Leona Curtis of East Bethel was a Sunday dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole and Charlotte.

Alan Wilson celebrated his 5th birthday Monday, March 9, with a party at his home. Those attending were: Mike Leon, Dennis Swan and Randy Wilson.

Recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole were: Milton Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cole and Family visited Mrs. Blanche Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring and family in Freeport, Sunday.

Mrs. Laura Seames broke her leg Monday afternoon and was taken to Stephen's Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Nancy Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gordon, celebrated her sixth birthday, Tuesday, March 10.

Everett Cross is feeling quite a lot better and is able to do a little work around the house. Mrs. Lillian Lapham is still helping out a little, however, at the Cross home.

Elwin Cole was a visitor Sunday afternoon of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morse and Darren, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Martin Jr., and Barry, and Mrs. Bertha Flanders went to Yarmouth, Saturday evening, and picked up Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gaudet. They all went to Portland to the Red Coach Grill for supper in honor of the birthday of Thelma Gaudet. After supper they returned to Yarmouth and had birthday cake and coffee at the Gaudet home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Marcia visited his father, Verne Mills, at his home in West Greenwood, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lettie Ford was at the doctor's Friday and received a good report. She will now be able to gradually do a bit of light house-keeping and take short walks.

The community is pleased to hear that Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Royer who have been living in

CARD OF THANKS

Many thanks for the cards, letters, flowers and kindnesses from relatives and friends to me and my husband during my hospital stay. Also Greenleaf Ambulance and staff of the Stephens Memorial Hospital for the excellent care I received; especially Dr. Hazelton Libbie Kneeland

Sunday River

Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres.
Mrs. Loretta Merrill and son, Jim, visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Estes Yates, one day this week.

Mrs. Eva Yates and son, Russell Yates, and Julia Fleet, from here went to Pomona Grange at South Paris, Tuesday evening. At Bryant Pond they were joined by Verna Swan.

Word from Tom Yates is that he is back working after his recent operation.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fleet and family went to Mt. Abram to eat and enjoy the music Saturday evening.

March 8 was Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith's anniversary. Miss Mary Newcomb made a very pretty cake for them and it tasted extra good.

Town meeting here has come and gone with no crows to call out.

Garey Yates called on his grandparents also his brother, Jeffrey, and family, Sunday.

Raymond Hathaway and friends of New Jersey spent the week end with his mother, Eunice Hathaway.

North Paris

Eveline Barrett, Corres.
A nice cold and windy week end. Typical March weather. I saw three big black crows last Friday so spring must be on the way.

Mr. and Mrs. John Estes visited the Barretts Friday afternoon and Saturday. Mrs. Patty Bean, Lavinia and Kimberly, South Paris, and Doris Lawrence called. Lavinia was celebrating her eighth (8th) birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Lawrence visited the Norman Millets, Greenwood, Monday night. It was Maurice's birthday.

Joseph Barrett was at Dr. Hamilton's Tuesday. Hope he doesn't start sharpening the knife.

Lois O'Hearon was at Dr. Lebel's, Lewiston, Wednesday to have stitches removed.

H. Warren Abbott has returned from Stephens Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Gladys Bonney has been moved from the Andrews nursing home to the home of her daughter, Barbara Knight, Norway.

Scarbore are moving back into our midst. They will be warmly welcomed by their many friends.

The Ladies Circle will hold their meeting on Wednesday, March 19, at the Sunday School room. There will be a silent auction. Each member is to bring a Bible verse containing the word "peace".

Mount Abram Fish and Game Association will hold their monthly meeting and pot luck supper at 6:30 on Thursday, March 20, at the town hall.

Callers during the week of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and Mrs. Lettie Ford were Mrs. Ethel Boyle and Mrs. Elvia Abbott, West Sumner; George Stowell Jr., West Bethel; Mrs. Hattie Curtis and her daughter, Mrs. Collista Stevens, West Sumner; Mrs. Myrtle Bonney and Miss Beryl Bonney, West Paris. Mrs. Mary Mills also called and brought a sunshine basket.

Andover

EAST ANDOVER
Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres.

Miss Kathy Richardson and Miss Jacqueline Gammon, Junior students at Telstar Regional High School, have received word that they have both been nominated and selected High School All American 1974-75 for athletic sportsmanship and extra curricula performance. Kathy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Richardson received her award for basketball. Jackie, daughter of Mrs. Madeleine Weston and Chester Gammon, received her award for basketball and field hockey.

Mrs. Helen Meisner entered the Franklin Memorial Hospital on March 7 for eye surgery.

Mrs. Marion Abbott entered the Androscoggin Valley Hospital at Berlin on March 2 and underwent surgery on March 3.

Arthur Cole Sr. underwent surgery at the Community Hospital last week. Others entering the hospital last week were Jean Dunning and Chester L'Earned.

Adults making the Lake Placid trip last week end to watch the Torger Tolle Skiers representing the Pineland Ski and Outing Club were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Akers, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sauret, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Deans, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Miller Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jaros, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Richardson and Frank Morgan. Russell Palmer won a pair of skis at the Saturday evening banquet at the Lake Placid Ski Club sponsored after the x-country events. Over 300 attended the gathering in the Olympic Arena. Following the the jumping on Saturday the group gathered again in that building for refreshments and awards.

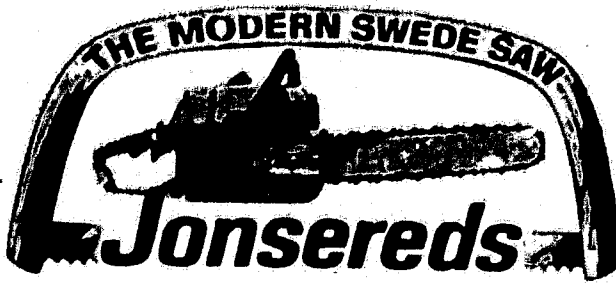
Richard Pratt, who moved into his retirement home (the Noreen Hall farm) last summer has been hospitalized. He was taken by ambulance to Rumford last week and transferred to a Boston Hospital. His wife accompanied him. Staying at the farm is her sister and brother-in-law.

Mrs. Edward Finell and family are residing in their newly built home across from the Calvary Congregational Church at South Andover. Several of the children attend school. The family moved to South Andover last summer from Connecticut.

The Congregational Church Ladies Aid met at the CEB on March 5 with 10 present. In the absence of the secretary, Thelma Clark, who was hospitalized, Marie Lang took the minutes of the meeting. Cards were signed for Thelma Clark, Millie Hodsdon, Florence Kraft, Chester Learned, Arthur Cole, Sr., and Daisy Warren, A

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gift of yarn, for various uses by different committees, has been sent to the Aid from Betsey Fisher.

The March Committee to raise funds will be Thelma Clark, Alma Hewey, Josephine Poor and Margaret Learned.

The April Committee will be Louise Mills, Marie Nuppula, Florence Hall and Ivy Thurston.

The May Committee will serve the Oxford County Literary Union Federation luncheon. That committee will be Eldora Jones, Margaret Learned, Ann Fox, Thelma Clark, Marie Lang, Beverly Swan and Betsey Mixer. This committee had planned, previously to hold a rummage sale.

Dorothy Greenlow, Key Woman of the First Congregational Church, read correspondence from the Church World Service. The Aid voted to send a gift of money toward a blanket.

March 19 will be another work session beginning at 9:30 a. m. Work will be done for the Christmas Table.

Stork Shower Held — Betsy Bell, Rumford; Laura Piawlock, East Bethel, and Cynthia Towle, Mexico, were hostesses on March 9 at a stork shower for Susan Jones, Scarborough. The party was held at the CEB. The guest of honor received many lovely and useful gifts. The specially decorated cake was made by the guest of honor's mother-in-law, Eldora Jones. The cake had blue and pink icing topped with a stork. Attending were Darlene Hall, Urfred Tucker, Dorothy Lang, Lila Farrington, Diane Meisner, Joy Porter, Heidi Porter, Sheryl Titcomb, Farmington; Alice Ramey, Rumford Center; Jeanette Smith, Portland; Muriel Cayer, Eva Cornish, Dot Haines, Bonnie Vashaw and Rachel, Julie Cantelo, Evelyn Gurshick, all of Rumford. Sending gifts but unable to attend were Debra Jodrey, Doris French, Barbara Meisner, Kathy Chase, Karen Welch, Violet Swain, Ella Glover, Myra Crocker, Ann Fox, Louise Mills, Ellen Demers, Cecilia Bell and Marie Lang.

Following the opening of gifts a social afternoon was enjoyed with lovely refreshments served by the hostesses.

Calvary Congregational Church News — The Girls Club took part in the morning worship service on March 9 with their leaders, Barbara Meisner and Marion McKen-

ney. The group sang several selections. Five girls spoke. Stephanie Merrill spoke on the club's recreation; Patty Rickards spoke on the handicrafts; Cathy Bailey spoke on the meetings held during the month; June Goodwin spoke on the devotional part of each meeting, and Dianna Wells gave a testimony.

During the month of February the Sunday School held a contest "Put Your Heart into Sunday School Growth and Visitation." The men and the boys, "The Arctic Cats" were against the Women and Girls, "The Yamahas". The males lost and so they served a hot dish supper at the church on March 9.

Bob MacKenney had charge of a game "Hot Potato" and Rev. Lester Strout led the singing of action choruses. Lorena Simmons gave a short Christian challenge. Jean White showed slides of interest to those attending which included raising of the church walls, Rally Day, church picnic, girls' club outings at Garland Pond and these were enjoyed by all.

Congregational Church News — The Ladies Aid of the First Congregational Church will hold a food sale at Mills' Market on March 15 at 10 a. m. The Committee will be Thelma Clark, Alma Hewey, Josephine Poor and Margaret Learned.

The Senior Youth group met at the CEB on Sunday evening and worked on banners and posters that will be used at a later date for a social that is being planned. The group will meet again at the same place on March 16.

Looking ahead to Easter services—Palm Sunday, March 23, the worship service will move back into the sanctuary. This service will be in the form of a spring rally for the church school. Awards and pins, that have not been given out in the past years, will be awarded at this dedication service for the teaching staff. Eleanor Tracy will be taking over duties of the superintendent to replace Daniel Kraft who has resigned.

Maudy Thursday services will be held at the church on March 27 at 7 p. m. The Youth Group will have charge of the Easter Sunrise service on March 30 at 7 p. m. followed by a breakfast served by the men of the church.

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1	\$0 to \$2,910
2	0 to 3,830
3	0 to 4,740
4	0 to 5,640
5	0 to 6,490
6	0 to 7,310
7	0 to 8,090
8	0 to 8,810
9	0 to 9,510
10	0 to 10,190
11	0 to 10,860
12	0 to 11,530

For each additional family member add \$670

Family Size (Including Adults)	Total Family Income
1	\$2,911 to \$4,080
2	3,831 to 5,350
3	4,741 to 6,330
4	5,641 to 7,900
5	6,491 to 9,070
6	7,311 to 10,240
7	8,091 to 11,290
8	8,811 to 12,340
9	9,511 to 13,320
10	10,191 to 14,260
11	10,861 to 15,200
12	11,531 to 16,140

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Bethel and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McMillin, Rockville, Conn., and Mrs. Hazel Strout, Westbrook, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick McMillin.

Mrs. Norma Jodrey has returned from a ten day trip to Spain, accompanied by Betty Mayo, Barbara Grover and her daughter, Barbara Jodrey Merrill, all of Ogunquit. While in Spain they enjoyed a day's visit to the continent of Africa.

Albert Kimball reports that fishing on Twitchell Pond, Greenwood, has been exceptionally good this season. Last Saturday he and his grandson, John Albert Kimball, hooked a 5 pound brown trout and several other trout and white perch, some weighing as much as three pounds.

Dan Vogt, a senior at Bowdoin College, was one of the leading scorers during the recently ended 1974-75 basketball season. He sank 81 field goals and 47 free throws to compile 209 points, a season average of 10 points per game. Vogt connected on 75.8 percent of his free throws, making him the third highest scorer on this year's Bowdoin team.

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BOY SCOUTS TO TAKE ROADSIDE HIKE

Bethel Boy Scouts of Troop 563 will be going on a 5-mile roadside day hike this Saturday. Boys working on or desiring their Hiking Skill Award are urged to attend. Hikers will depart promptly at 10 a. m. from John Feeney's house on Main Street. An open fire will be available at lunch time. Hot cocoa will be provided if you bring your own cup. Scouts must provide their own food. A compass for orientation work will be needed if you have one. Bring a "permission to attend" slip from your parents. Contact John Feeney or his father if there are questions.

1975 STUMPAGE PRICE REPORT AVAILABLE

The Maine Forest Service, Forest Management Division, recently issued the 1975 Stumpage Price Report.

This report is based on prices reported by landowners of stumpage sales under the Tree Growth Tax Law. It includes low, high and most common prices by species for logs, boltwood and pulpwood averaged for the whole state and also by zones.

The Report may be obtained by contacting the Maine Forest Service, Forest Management Division, Augusta, Maine 04330.

Everett Sjöberg of the Bible Institute will be at the Bethel Gospel Center Friday and Saturday evenings at 7 p. m. and at both services on Sunday.

Nancy Buswell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Buswell, remains a patient at Shriner's Hospital in Springfield, Mass., where she will undergo surgery in a few days.

Mrs. Ethel Sanborn has returned to her home on Vernon Street, after spending a few days with her daughter and son-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Majic Potšaid, Hanover, Mass.

Between 1964 and 1973 about 90 percent of the increase in payroll employment of women occurred in service industries, retail trade, manufacturing or government, according to the U. S. Department of Labor.

JAFAR DEVLET-MURAZ

Jafar Devlet-Muraz died Tuesday, March 11, 1975, at his home, Songo Road, Bethel. He was born in Penza, Russia, March 6, 1895, and had been a citizen of the United States since 1942. Mr. Devlet-Muraz came to Bethel several years ago following his retirement as an instrument designer for Bendix Corp., Teterboro, N. J. Survivors include his widow, the former Elizabeth Sadler of Bethel. Memorial services will be held in New York.

METHODIST BREAKFAST ON PALM SUNDAY MORNING

On Palm Sunday, March 23, 6:30 a. m. a men's Communion breakfast will be held at Bethel United Methodist Church. Guest speaker will be Rev. Ralph Christianson. Tickets are available from men of the church.

SPECIAL MEETING

A special meeting of the SAD 44 Dollars for Scholars will be held on Sunday, March 16, at the Casco Bank Community Room from 2-4 p. m. Discussion will be on the scholarship fund drive.

THIS SATURDAY—MAPLE SYRUP AT SPRUCE MOUNTAIN

This Saturday from 9:30 to 12:00 the Spruce Mountain Explorers will be making maple syrup. All students, 5th grade and up are invited to share in the sweet taste of spring.

For further information call 824-2215.

COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS TO MEET MARCH 15 AT PARIS

Oxford County Retired Teachers Association will meet on Saturday, March 15 at the South Paris Universalist Church. A social hour will precede the eleven o'clock business meeting. Perry Shibles, State chairman of legislation, will be the after luncheon speaker.

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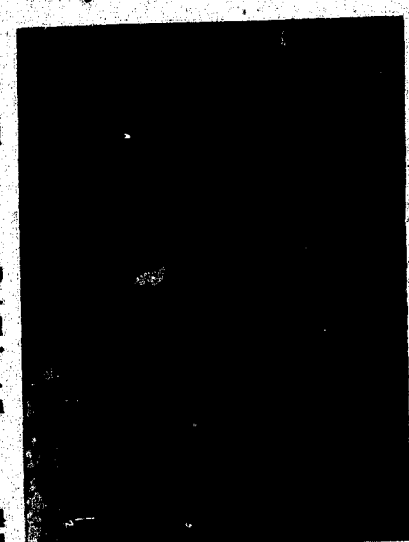
March 2, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anderson, (Martha Laws) of Nashua, N. H., a son, Eric Clifford.

DIED

In Bethel, March 11, Jafar Devlet-Muraz, aged 80 years.

WHITE - ANDERSON ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Anderson of Albany announce the engagement of their daughter, Roberta L., to Albert T. White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. White of Albany.



Miss Roberta L. Anderson

Miss Anderson is a 1974 graduate of Telstar Regional High School and is now enrolled in a Practical Nursing course at N. H. V. T. C. at Berlin, N. H. Mr. White is a 1972 graduate of Telstar Regional High School and now employed at Carrick Motors in Norway. A September wedding is planned.

ELEANOR GORDON GUILD

The Eleanor Gordon Guild meets on Wednesday, March 19, with a progressive dinner. Beginning at 6:30 p. m. juice will be served at Frances Saunders', followed by a pot luck dinner with Betty Perkins and dessert and meeting at the home of Ann Greenleaf. Members are requested to furnish a hot dish or salad. Mary Doon is in charge of the devotions and program. Those attending are asked to furnish two wrapped gifts for the Snatch-it game.

GET MOST FROM YOUR SEWING MACHINE

Get the most out of your sewing machine. Come to the Home Ec Room at Telstar Monday evening, March 24, at 7:30. The adult sewing class has invited Rachel MacKay to show such things as doing buttonholes using a simple zigzag. This is open to the public so plan to come and bring a friend.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY MEETS

The Hospital Auxiliary met with Barbara D. Brown at her home on Elm Street. The monthly meeting opened at 8 o'clock on the evening of March 10.

President Linda Sharp presided. There were 12 members present.

Treasurer's and secretary's reports were read and accepted. Carolyn Brooks served as secretary for the evening for the regular secretary who was ill.

The work meetings at Agnes Thurston's have been well attended for the past three Monday afternoons. The quilt for the "Fair Booth" in October is becoming a reality.

The report of the Valentine Food Sale, February 14 at the Bethel Savings Bank was given. Becky Kendall received the Valentine cake, donated by Leona Flint.

Tickets will be picked up March 24 12-4 p. m. at the Casco Bank for the Spring Fling being held at the Gould Gym, March 29. Final plans were made for the occasion.

Jodie Carter will have charge of the food. Linda Sharp is chairperson, all members are to help. Guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gerard, who discussed his duties as a physicians assistant.

A letter from Bea Bigelow was read. She is in her new home at Tilton, N. H. She will be greatly missed by the Auxiliary.

Those serving at the coffee shop for February were: Sarah Stevens, Julia Brown, Hope Tibbetts, and Adeline Dexter.

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